IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, ANDHRA PRADESH,

AT HYDERABAD

HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.V.S. RAO

W.P. No. 18447 OF 2005

Date: 29.09.2005

BETWEEN:

1. Kareti Yugandher Reddy and others

…. PETITIONERS

And

1. The Mandal Revenue Officer, Vinukonda Mandal, Guntur District, and others.

…. RESPONDENTS

HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE V.V.S. RAO

WRIT PETITION NO. 18447 OF 2005

ORDER:

The petitioners, who are 13 in number, claim to be the owners of various extents of lands in S.No.54 of Ganeshpalem, Hamlet of Koppukonda Village, Vinukonda Mandalam, Guntur District. They allege that they and their predecessors purchased the property under different sale deeds and are cultivating the dry crops. When the respondents tried to interfere with their possession and enjoyment of the land in 1977, they filed O.S.No.131 of 1977 for injunction, which was decreed. They also allege that the appeal being A.S.No.55 of 1982 filed by the respondents on the file of the Court of the District Judge, Guntur, was dismissed on 29.8.1983. It is alleged that in spite of the same the respondents are trying to dispossess the petitioners with a view to assign the lands to landless poor persons without following due process of law. Therefore, they filed the present writ petition.

Heard learned counsel for the petitioners and learned Assistant Government Pleader for Revenue (General). The learned counsel for the petitioner brought to the notice of this Court the order of this Curt in W.P.No.16964 of 2005 dated 8.8.2005 wherein eleven

residents of Ganeshpalem filed a similar writ petition in respect of the land admeasuring Acs.73.00 in S.No.54. This Court disposed of the said writ petition directing the respondents not to evict the petitioners from the lands without following due process of law.

Following the same, this Writ Petition is disposed of at the admission stage, with a similar direction.

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(**V.V.S. RAO, J.)**

29th September, 2005

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